



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, with sufficient postage, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313  
on February 10, 2004

Date of Deposit

Amanda M. Church, Reg. No. 52,469

Name of applicant, assignee or  
Registered Representative

*Amanda Church*

Signature

*Feb. 10, 2004*

Date of Signature

Case No. 659/794

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Faulks et al.

Serial No: 09/849,935

Examiner: E. Marcelo

Filed: May 4, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3654

For: DISPENSER GASKET AND  
TENSIONER SYSTEM

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated October 10, 2003 for a period of one month(s).



Applicant:



claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.



is other than small entity

02/19/2004 HBERHE

00000082 09849935

01 FC:1251

110.00 OP

**RECEIVED**  
FEB 23 2004  
**GROUP 3600**

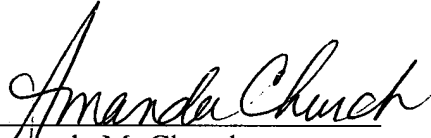
	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

**Fee Payment**

- ☒ Attached is a check for \$110.00 for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☐ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 10, 2004

  
 Amanda M. Church  
 Registration No. 52,469  
 Attorney for Applicant

BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE  
 P.O. BOX 10395  
 CHICAGO, IL 60610  
 (312)321-4200